

# VIRGINIA OFFICE OF EMS

## WHEELCHAIR INTERFACILITY TRANSPORT VEHICLE REQUIRED

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#### **A. GENERAL WHEELCHAIR VEHICLE INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS**

- ☐ Current State Inspection
- ☐ Current EMS Permit posted
- ☐ Interior/supplies clean and sanitary
- ☐ Exterior clean
- ☐ Equipment in good working order
- ☐ Seatbelts for all occupants, including wheelchair occupants
- ☐ Plastic bags or covered container or compartment for infectious waste
- ☐ Disinfectant solution for cleaning
- ☐ Waterless antiseptic handwash
- ☐ All equipment and supplies secured in place to prevent movement

#### **B. DESIGN AND DIMENSIONS**

- ☐ 48" wide measured from 15" above floor
- ☐ 60" length from driver seat to rear doors
- ☐ All interior edges and corners padded
- ☐ Surfaces easily cleaned and non-stained
- ☐ Slip resistant floor surface
- ☐ 56" minimum door opening with loading device for any wheelchair on right side and/or rear of vehicle
- ☐ Security restraints for any wheelchair
- ☐ Climate controlled environment for passenger compartment
- ☐ Loading device, mechanized lift or ramp

#### **D. VEHICLE MARKINGS**

- ☐ Lettering is minimum 3 inches in height
- ☐ Name of agency vehicle permitted to on both sides, 3 inches in height, contrasting color (permanently affixed to the vehicle)

#### **Notes:**

1. **Any additional lettering must be of less height than the lettering used for the service's name.**
2. **The Star of Life may not appear on a Wheelchair Vehicle.**